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Examiner:

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Farzan Rastinejad, et al.

APPLICATION NO.: 09/863,976

FILING DATE: May 23, 2001 : Group Art Unit: 1614

TITLE: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR

RESTORING CONFORMATIONAL

STABILITY OF A PROTEIN OF THE P53

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is requested that the term for response to the Examiner's Action in this application, mailed on <u>September 27, 2002</u>, and having an original period for response of <u>1 month</u>, which expired on <u>October 27, 2002</u>, be extended by <u>1</u> month, such that it expires on <u>November 27, 2002</u>.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge the amount of \$110.00, as stated under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, as well as any additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-1445. Two copies of this paper are enclosed.

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